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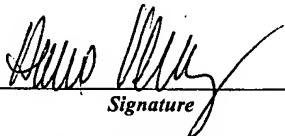
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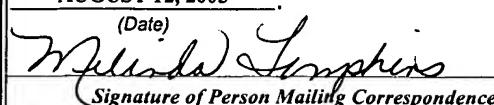

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Introductory Comments

This is responsive to the Office Action from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office dated June 2, 2005.

This amendment is submitted in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.121 (effective July 30, 2003).

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.